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June 24, 1904

*Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels.*

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
1904.					
June 5	Beverly .....	40	0	0	0
6	Siberia .....	54	11	25	0
7	Admiral Schley .....	54	11	0	0
8	Manuel Calvo .....	119	36	66	0
9	Hispmania .....	22	0	0	0
9	Appomatox .....	47	0	0	0
10	Columbia.....	18	0	0	0
11	Brewster .....	31	0	0	0

**CUBA.***Reports from Cienfuegos.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon McMahon reports, June 7, as follows:

Week ended June 4, 1904: Vessels inspected and bills of health issued, 4; crews inspected, 122; passengers inspected, 5.

All of these vessels were in good sanitary condition; no sickness on board.

The remains of one dead body were shipped to the United States after being properly prepared, as is required in these cases.

*Transactions of Service—Mortuary report and sanitary conditions, May, 1904.*

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued, 20; crews inspected, 613; passengers inspected, 6.

All of these vessels were in good sanitary condition; no sickness on board.

No quarantinable disease has arrived at this port during this month.

*Mortuary report for the city of Cienfuegos.*

Tuberculosis, 13; diseases of the lungs and air passages, not tuberculous, 9; malaria, 7; meningitis, 2; tetanus infantile, 3; diseases of the heart and blood vessels, 8; gastro-enteritis, 2; enteritis, 13; diseases of the kidney, 4; cancer, no specification, 3; other and ill-defined causes, 29; total, 93.

This is the largest number of deaths in this city for one month since January, 1901.

*Water supply—Great number of mosquitoes.*

The sanitary condition of the city can not be said to be as good as it was some months ago, and the enormous amount of rainfall here for the last six weeks has certainly rendered the city water supply very bad. As before reported, the city obtains its water from a river about 6 miles from the city, and the great land drainage into this river from the recent heavy rains has contaminated the city water.

Mosquitoes are present throughout the city in great numbers, and no effort has yet been made to destroy them.

Strict quarantine has been maintained against all suspicious and infected ports by the Cuban quarantine officials, and no quarantinable disease has entered the city.